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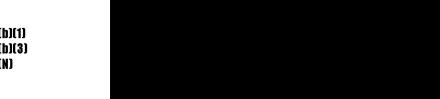
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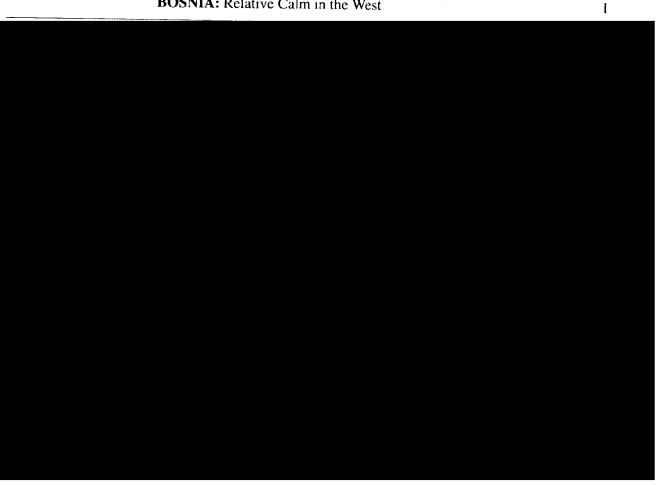
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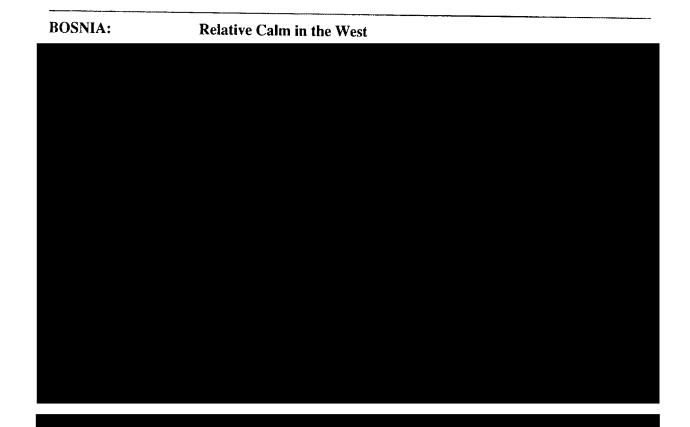








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Izetbegovic Sets Conditions for Cease-Fire

Press reports say Bosnian President Izetbegovic declared yesterday that recent Bosnian-Croat victories had created suitable conditions for a truce in Bosnia. He said he would approve a 60-day cease-fire if the Bosnian Serb army withdrew from Banja Luka, provided free access to Gorazde, and lifted the siege of Sarajevo.

These terms probably are unacceptable to the Bosnian Serbs.

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Moscow Showing Restraint on Bosnia

In the wake of his meeting with President Yel'tsin on Wednesday, Russian Foreign Minister Kozyrev yesterday ruled out the use of unilateral measures by Russia or other countries to settle conflicts in what was Yugoslavia, according to Russian press reports. He also remained noncommittal about Moscow's possible participation in a future Peace Implementation Force for Bosnia.

 Kozyrev's tone, however, appeared relaxed, which suggests that Moscow will continue to abide by economic sanctions and the arms embargo against Serbia.

Meanwhile, Russian contact group representative Zotov yesterday publicly praised the suspension of NATO airstrikes against the Bosnian Serbs, while calling for greater Security Council control over the use of NATO airpower.

— The Council yesterday unanimously adopted a resolution, initiated by Russia, calling for an immediate halt to Muslim-Croat attacks in western Bosnia and for an overall Bosnian cease-fire.





Fragile Humanitarian Situation in Vojvodina

Serbia is having difficulty providing for the more than 100,000 Krajina Serbs who fled to Vojvodina during Croatia's offensive last month and that a wave of Bosnian Serb refugees could trigger a humanitarian catastrophe.

impoverished host families cannot house the refugees indefinitely; Red Cross and other relief agencies say their resources are stretched to the limit.

— Press reports say there are 100,000 displaced Serbs in western Bosnia.

